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MOTHER MORTGAGES FARM TO GIVE BOND

Four Lexington Swindlers Obtain Release From Jail, Pending Final Trial—Are Asking Their Intended Victims For Mercy

With Mrs. Elizabeth Welsh signing their bond, and a certified check for \$4,000 deposited with Circuit Clerk James W. Wagers by the Union Bank and Trust Company, of Lexington, Floyd McCall and wife, Alice McCall, Coy Hutton and wife, Hattie Hutton, were released from the Madison county jail about noon today. They will have to return here on May 27th when they face trial on a charge of giving a number of Richmond merchants spurious checks for goods. All pled guilty both at their examining trial and on arraignment in circuit court after their indictment, as told in yesterday's Daily Register. Mrs. Welsh is their mother, and owns 130 acres of good land in Fayette county, for which she signed a mortgage to the Lexington bank which put up the cash, in order to give her two daughters and their husbands a short space of freedom before they go to the Frankfort penitentiary.

Attorney Mat S. Walton came over from Lexington this morning accompanied by President J. Tevis Wilkerson, of the Union Bank and Trust Company. Attorney A. R. Burnam, Jr., was engaged as local attorney to see what can be done for the couples who got "in bad" mighty quick when their little game was tried on Richmond business men. Mr. Walton said that the two couples were only recently married. He said they had never before been in trouble of any sort, but that they told him they needed some clothes and had no money and no way to get any. He said that they are hard-working people and are making a tobacco crop on the Foster Helm farm, being operated by McCormick brothers, near Lexington.

Mr. Walton said that instead of securing any money from Richmond, in addition to the heaps of trouble they got themselves into, they lost \$2 in cash. He said that when they were placed in the Madison county jail that the money they had was taken from them and when it was returned this morning, it was \$2 short, which they were told, Mr. Walton said, had been stolen from the jail safe.

Asked about the claims of the prisoners that \$2 was missing from their money, Jailer Burgess said that he saw four paper dollars in their pocketbook when it was locked in the safe by Turney Lige Howard. Jailer Burgess says he did not release the prisoners which was done by Mr. Howard. He said that the prisoners were lying if they claimed that any money had been taken from them, and that no one had access to the keys but Howard and unless they had spent some of their money, it was all there when it was returned to them.

It is understood that an effort is being made by their mother and brother and attorney to induce the local merchants whom the two couples sought to fleece to be lenient with them, and ask for mercy when their cases come formally up in court. It is urged, that they are ignorant and had never been in trouble before, and that their experience had been a severe lesson to them. From comments heard by several of their intended victims, it seems that there is little inclination to heed their plea, inasmuch as they so nearly succeeded in their swindling game and seemed to have no scruples as to how much they stole from the pockets of the business men whom they tried so boldly to swindle.

ALLIES CALL HUNS ON MORE "STALLING"

(By Associated Press) Paris, Wednesday, May 14.—The Council of Four has declined to consider notes from the German peace mission relative to international labor legislation. A rebuttal was administered in a note from Premier Clemenceau, saying the allies believe "their decisions will satisfy the anxiety which the Germans profess for social justice, and insure a realization of reforms which the working classes have had a right to expect after the cruel trial to which the world has been subjected for last five years."

CLASSIFIED ADS.

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FOR SALE
FOR SALE—A good Shetland pony.
FOR SALE—Pipe and fittings for water, steam and gas; machine and engine repairs. Phone 498 for prices. Ben F. Hurst, Elks building.

FOR SALE—I have some L. & W. Red Forkshire Swine for sale. W. E. Turley, Richmond, Ky.

INSURANCE—FIRE OR LIFE
DON'T forget to call Thos. A. Shelton to insure your dwelling or barn with the Hurst Home Insurance Company. The rate is the lowest. Richmond, Ky. phone 876. 138 4w p

MISCELLANEOUS
ALPACA AND STOCK FARM—50-600 acres to select from. Write for full information and literature. Mary Reilly, 1000 N. 1st St., Columbus, Miss. 137 4w

THE WEATHER

Showers and thunder storms probably tonight and Friday.

PAYNE ELECTED TO SUCCEED BRIDGES

At a meeting of the City Board of Education last night, Prof. John Howard Payne, now superintendent of Schools at Midway, Woodford county, was elected superintendent here to succeed Prof. D. W. Bridges, who goes to Mayfield. Prof. Payne comes very highly recommended in every way. He is a native of Campbell county and has had wide experience in educational work and is said to measure up in every way to the standard required of a big institution. He is a graduate of State University, married and about 35 years of age. He will be paid a salary of \$2,200 a year.

Miss Cynthia Davison was elected head of the music department to succeed Miss Lissa Holtzclaw, who was not an applicant for re-appointment. The vacancies in the high school faculty will be filled at the next meeting of the Board at which time the faculty of the colored school will also be chosen.

The salaries of the grade teachers were all raised slightly over last year, as the Board felt it is fully justified with the cost of living constantly increasing.

FLIERS MAY START TODAY

(By Associated Press) Trepassey, New Foundland, May 15.—Commander Towers, chief of the American seaplane division today announced the NC 1 and NC 3 might start before night for the Azores. The NC 4 is expected here during the afternoon. Meanwhile the navy dirigible C 5 reached St. Johns after its cruise from Montauk Point, N. Y.

PALMER SAYS ANY "KICK" IS ILLEGAL

(By Associated Press) Washington, May 15.—Attorney General Palmer, in an opinion today, informed the Commissioner of Internal Revenue Roper, that the brewing of beer containing two and three-fourths per cent alcohol is illegal. Officials explained, however, that brewing will not stop pending the New York Federal District Court's decision on a case now under consideration.

COL. GEO. SMITH LOOKING OVER FIELD

Col. George T. Smith, of the old Second Kentucky regiment, is here today from his home in Lexington, with his uncle, Hon. W. B. Smith and other relatives. Col. Smith is just back from Germany where he saw service with the American Army of Occupation. Friends of Col. Smith have said that he is considering entering the race for the Democratic nomination for governor of Kentucky, and Col. Smith told the Daily Register today that he is looking into the situation at the present time. He said that he will carefully consider the matter in all its aspects. He has not as yet been dissuaded from the service, and is not at all sure. Col. Smith is formerly of Beattyville, and met many old-time friends of the Second Kentucky days on the border, and was given a cordial welcome home again.

BRITAIN PAYS TRIBUTE TO EDITH CAVELL

(By Associated Press) London, May 15.—England paid tribute to Edith Cavell, the English nurse executed by the Germans, at Brussels October 12, 1918, when her body en route from Brussels to her native city of Norwich, was taken to Westminster Abbey for an impressive memorial service today. It was a public funeral in which beginning the entire metropolis endeavored to participate. The streets through which the cortege moved were congested and every inch of standing room in the neighborhood of the Abbey was occupied by a densely massed multitude. The congregation at the Abbey included high government officials, representatives of foreign countries and men prominent in many walks of life. The service was conducted by the Dean of Westminster.

No address was delivered. A choir sang the burial service, hymns and prayers and after the benediction the cavell was sounded. The procession left the Abbey to the strains of the funeral march and proceeded to the station where the coffin was placed on a train for Norwich.

LIEUT. SIMMONS GETS HOME
Lieut. McCrory Simmons is here from Kelly Flying Field, Dallas, Texas, having been formally mustered out of the service. He has won his lieutenant's bars since here the last time, and looks fine in his uniform and in splendid health. He took the whole aerial course and finished as an expert aviator before leaving the service, and is now giving a cordial welcome home by his home friends.

FOR SALE—Nice pony and runabout. Phone 744. 141 4f

Lonnie Abrams bought 50 Poinsett Chicks of Robert Simpson at 35 cents a pound.
Mr. Elmer Deatherage has bought a handsome Buick sedan from the Richmond Automobile Sales Co. 137 4w

Program

Given By
STUDENTS OF SCHOOL OF EXPRESSION
MADISON INSTITUTE
Friday, May 16th, at 8 P. M.
PART ONE

Biff Perkins' Toboggan Slide _____ Phelps
Song—The Bird's Nest _____ Riley-Gaynor
Song—Our Flag _____ Elizabeth Baxter
An Uncle Remus Story _____ Leslie Hurley, Fonda Hardin, Nancy Igo, Elizabeth Baxter
Swedish Song Play—Ritsch-Ratsch _____ Betsy Igo
How Do You Do? _____ Elizabeth Baxter, Fonda Hardin, Nancy Igo, Leslie Hurley, Gertrude Simpson, Ellen Haden
An Uncle Remus Story _____ Harris

Geneva Park
PART TWO
"THE HAPPY DAY"
Characters
Mrs. Marlowe _____ Hortense Willoughby
Sybil Marlowe _____ Geneva Park
Anne Loving _____ Betsy Igo
Kitty Fern _____ Calvine Mason
Opal Neff _____ Lillian Broadbudd
Mrs. Tatlock _____ Elizabeth Hise
Polly Tatlock _____ Reva Linden
Pianists—Sara Goodloe and Mamie Potts

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Madison Institute
Richmond, Kentucky
Monday Evening, May the Nineteenth, Nineteen Hundred Nineteen

PROGRAMME
a Lyric—My Star _____ Browning
b Story—The Parson's Conversion _____ Murray
Piano Solo—Valse _____ Mary Pattie Bronston
An Uncle Remus Story _____ Sarah Goodloe
Selection from "Miss Minerva and Wm. Green Hill" _____ Harris
Chorus—We Come to Greet You _____ Calhoun
Monologue—A Pleasant Half-Hour on the Beach _____ Lord
Piano Duo—La Baladine _____ Cooke
Essay—"Shakespeare" _____ Mary Pattie Bronston
Essay—"Prohibition" _____ Lysberg
Presentation of Diplomas _____ Mamie Potts and Sarah Goodloe
Calvine Mason
Hortense Willoughby

Recital

By Pupils of
MISS MATTIE ELDER
Madison Institute

Valse _____ Durand
Valse Arabesque _____ Lucile Vandever
The Shepherd Song _____ Wittman
Edelweiss Glide _____ Catherine Brotherton
Polish Dance _____ Emily Hise
Valse Lucile _____ Kern
Hungary Rhapsodie _____ Eudell Hurst
Chorus—Welcome Sweet Springtime _____ Scharwenka
Caprice _____ Mayme Sexton
By The Brookside _____ Friml
The Butterfly _____ Eva Catherine Hurst
Duo—Bellario Fantasia _____ Iva Jean Todd
Duet Le Bal _____ Mignonne
First Waltz _____ Rubinstein
At Sunrise _____ Wachs
Chorus—"Old Glory" _____ Mamie Potts
Butterfly Waltz _____ Elizabeth Beasley
Song Without Words _____ Orth
Sweet Clover _____ Sarah Goodloe
Dance Among the Leaves _____ Donizette
Duo—Diana _____ Sarah Goodloe, Mamie Potts
Love Song _____ May the Fifteenth, Nineteen and Nineteen
Voices of Nature _____ Reva Linden, Nancy Simpson
Valse Caprice _____ Ludovic
Les Sylphes _____ Elizabeth Nelson
On The Meadow _____ Margaret Lucile Rowlette
Sweet Clover _____ Spaulding
Dance Among the Leaves _____ Mildred Norris
Duo—Diana _____ Lucile Wagers
Love Song _____ Elizabeth Beasley, Ira Jean Todd
Voices of Nature _____ Evelyn Fowler
Valse Caprice _____ Gladys Parks
Les Sylphes _____ Lella Wills
On The Meadow _____ Elizabeth Hise
Sweet Clover _____ Reva Linden

Get wool bag at Gordon's.

SALES DAY
Get wool bag at Gordon's.

SEXTON HONORED BY KENTUCKY RED MEN

Col. John E. Sexton, of Richmond, one of the foremost Red Men in the state, was honored at the grand council just held at Lexington, by being chosen of the three Great Representatives from Kentucky to the Great Council of the United States. The other two were Henry Schweiters, and H. F. Cohn, both of Louisville. Other officers elected by the State Council were: Lyman S. Graham, of Frankfort, grand sashem; Edward Sutton, of Prestonsburg, great senior sagamore; W. T. Bare, of Bedford, great junior sagamore; Henry Scheiters, of Louisville, great prophet; J. M. Holstner, Louisville, great chief of records; R. L. Courtney, of Covington, great keeper of Wampum.

Following the election of officers, James T. Rogers, head of the order in the United States, delivered an impressive address on the work of the order and the goal toward which it should strive. Tuesday night the delegates and their friends assembled at the courthouse and heard an address by Colonel H. H. Denhardt, of Bowling Green, on a first hand view of the war. Colonel Denhardt has recently returned from France, and his discussion of campaigns and battles, and the heroic deeds of Americans was of absorbing interest.

HUN LEADER SAYS TERMS IMPOSSIBLE

(By Associated Press) Berlin, Wednesday, May 14.—Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German peace delegation in communicating to the other members of the delegation the text of the three notes he sent to Premier Clemenceau, pointed out that the peace treaty in its present form could not be accepted and could not be signed because it is impossible to fulfill the terms.

SLAYERS OF SPARTAN HEADS SENTENCED TO PRISON TERMS
Berlin, Wednesday, May 14.—Three persons, charged with the murder of Dr. Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg during the Spartacan disturbances, last winter, were convicted by court martial and sentenced to three years, two years and six weeks, respectively.

A CHILD HATES OIL CALOMEL, PILLS FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Gives "California Syrup of Figs" if cross, sick, or feverish, constipated.
Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them. If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleaning, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive but gentle. Millions of mothers know this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

Don't throw that broken part away, it can be welded at our shop. Central Service Station.
Louisville, May 14.—Speakers at the sessions today of the annual State Conference of Schools, county and city health officers, indicated a sweeping campaign to be begun throughout Kentucky against social diseases.

Don't shear till you get wool bag—Gordon. 138 tf
July corn \$1.01 1-2.

Bring your wool to Wool Deatherage at the Madison Tobacco Warehouse. 138 12

FRESH Fish received today. Try a gallon can of our Fancy Table Pickles for \$1.00. See's Fish and Oyster House, Phone 421. 138 1

TO OUR COUNTRY FRIENDS
We want your spring chickens. We pay the highest market price. See's Fish and Oyster House, Phone 421. 138 1

WANTED—To buy several bar loads of fat hogs. Will pay cash. See's Fish and Oyster House, Phone 421. 138 1

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PRIMARY IN 8TH CALLED FOR JUNE 21

District Committee Meets At Danville, Has Harmonious Meeting—Republicans Only Disgruntled At Developments.

A primary election in the 11 counties of the Eighth congressional district on June 21 to nominate a candidate for Congress was called by the Democratic District Committee, meeting at Danville Wednesday. The action of the committee which was composed of the county chairmen of the 11 counties of the district was unanimous. All the counties were represented in person or by proxy except Spencer County. Chairman R. B. Terrill, of Madison, sent his proxy to Chairman John B. Nichols, of Boyle county.

All the candidates who intend to enter the primary must be announced at least 30 days before the date of the primary. A resolution was adopted that candidates entering shall bear the expenses of the primary, which were unofficially estimated at \$3,300. In the event there is only one candidate and at the present it seems that Judge Charles A. Hardin, of Mercer, will be the only candidate the primary will be called off and a sub-committee duly empowered, will officially award him the certificate of nomination, and he will be the party's nominee to go before the special election on August 2nd.

The District Committee also gave unanimous to the candidacy of Hon. Rodman Keenon, of Mercer, as a candidate for the nomination for State Treasurer in the primary to be held August 2nd.

Mr. Keenon is one of the most prominent democrats of the 8th congressional district and it appears that he will probably win the office he seeks without opposition.

In connection with the special election to choose a congressman in the 8th district, which has been called for August 2nd, the republicans assembled in state convention at Lexington took action yesterday seeking to investigate the validity of the governor's call. The Lexington Leader said of the matter:

The state committee decided to look into the legality of the action of Governor Stanley in calling a special election in the Eighth district for August 2 to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Harvey Helm, Congressman. J. Mat Chilton, of Louisville, expressed the opinion that the election was called on that date that the Democrats might get benefit of a hotly contested primary. He showed that if the republicans had few candidates in the primary and the Democrats many the latter might have three-fourths of the election officers and that objection ought to be made to the date. On motion for Maurice Galvin, proxy for John J. Craig, of the Sixth district, a sub-committee was appointed to report back to the full committee on the legality of the governor's selected date for the special election.

SHORT AND TO POINT

(By Associated Press) Paris, May 15.—President Wilson has advised the cable companies his message to the forthcoming special session of Congress will not be more than a few hundred words, enabling it to be cabled probably on the day of its delivery.

NATIONAL BANK CALL
Washington, May 15.—The Comptroller of the Currency today issued a call for the condition of national banks at the close of business May 12.

CANADIAN OFFICERS ORGANIZE TO FIGHT BIG STRIKE
Winnipeg, May 15.—A Citizens' committee of a thousand was organized here today to cope with the general strike of more than 60 unions called by the Trades and Labor Council. The city is outwardly quiet. The strike followed failure of the metal workers and employers to make differences.

S. C. REID MAKES QUICK MONEY.

Mr. Sam C. Reid, is proving himself to be successful in real estate deals, as he was in the management of the Madison Drug Company, which he recently sold to W. T. Griggs and son, at a handsome profit. Last Saturday he purchased a dwelling on Second street from F. P. Frazier, of Winchester, and bright and early Monday morning he had sold it to R. B. Mullins, at a nice margin of profit. "Doc" Reid and his estimable wife, have not completed their plans as to the future, but several splendid propositions have been offered him the past week. Wednesday they purchased a beautiful Buick touring car, and will leave soon for an extended trip through Kentucky, Ohio, and N. Y. Their many friends that they may continue their stay in Richmond.

MISS Emma Davison has entered the Lexington Herald contest and will appreciate any orders for the Herald given here. Phone 315. 140 1p

NOTICE—All persons having claims against the estate of the late W. R. Burges, deceased, are hereby given notice to file same properly verified, with the undersigned on or before June 1st, 1919, and all persons indebted to said estate are given notice to call and settle same on or before said date. J. H. Smith, Executor. 137 4w

TO BE SOLD—A fine house on 1st St. near 1st St. 137 4w